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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2100

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: N. Tanaka et al. Attorney Docket No.: FUJO116715  
Application No.: 09/735,312 Art Unit: 2154 / Confirmation No.: 4957  
Filed: December 11, 2000 Examiner: V.D. Vu  
Title: SYSTEM FOR INTERNET CONNECTIONS, METHODS FOR  
CALCULATING CONNECTION FEES FOR NETWORK CONNECTION  
SERVICES, BILLING SYSTEM FOR NETWORK CONNECTION  
SERVICES, AND SYSTEM FOR NETWORK CONNECTION  
MANAGEMENT

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR AMENDMENT  
AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Seattle, Washington 98101

February 6, 2006

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- X 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.  
\_\_\_\_\_ 2. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

|                    | Claims<br>Remaining<br>After<br>Amendment |   | Highest<br>Number<br>Previously<br>Paid For |   | Present<br>Extra |   | Rate |   | Additional<br>Fee |
|--------------------|---|---|---|---|------------------|---|------|---|-------------------|
| Total Claims       | 3   | - | 33  | = | 0                | x | 25   | = | 0                 |
| Independent Claims | 1   | - | 8   | = | 0                | x | 100  | = | 0                 |
| TOTAL              |   |   |   |   |                  |   |      |   | \$0               |

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B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Responsive to the final Office Action mailed November 4, 2005, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows.

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